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This is in response to the Office Action mailed from the PTO on April 22, 2005. Please amend the application as indicated herein.

Amendments to the Specification are set forth on page 2 of this document.

The *Listing of the Claims* begins on page 3 of this document. Amendments to the claims are reflected therein. With this amendment, claims 15-18 have been canceled, claim 1 has been amended and the withdrawal of claims 21-30 from further consideration is made FINAL.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this document.